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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Abdelhamid Sayari
Application No.: 10/539,225
I.A. Filing Date: December 18, 2003
Title: AMINE MODIFIED ADSORBENT, ITS PREPARATION AND USE FOR DRY SCRUBBING OF ACID GASES

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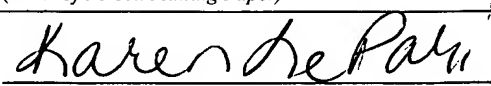
In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed October 24, 2005, enclosed are:

1. One (1) copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed October 24, 2005 (2 pages);
2. One (1) executed Declaration For Patent Application (3 pages);
3. One (1) Power of Attorney by Assignee (2 pages);
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Applicants claim **SMALL ENTITY** status in the above-identified application. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27, a verified statement claiming small entity status is not required.

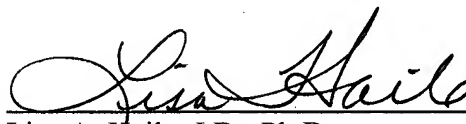
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| Multiple Dependent Claims Present: ____ Yes <u>x</u> No | | | | | \$180 | \$360 | | N/A | N/A |
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Respectfully submitted,

Date: December 7, 2005



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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/17/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/17/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/17/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/17/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 06/17/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/17/2005
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- Specification filed on 06/17/2005
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- Abstracts filed on 06/17/2005
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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27,

must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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